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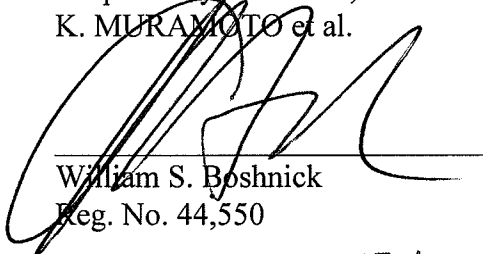
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Enclosed are three replacement sheets of formal drawings including Figs. 10, 11 and 15 corresponding to the drawings submitted together with the application as filed, and including "PRIOR ART" thereon as required in the Notice of Allowability.

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